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10 CENTS PER WEEK

## THE DAY OF JUDGMENT!

### FOR A SUIT OF CLOTHES

Is the first day he wears it. Critical eyes will examine the cut, the fit, the fabric and the appropriateness of suit to the man wearing it. Our Suits always pass muster. They're right—perfect in every detail—and expert judges pronounce them so. They have the

#### Hang and Dash

that stamps them the moment the eye rests upon them as

#### Smart Suits.

Built generously, built with snap and ginger. These suits will interest you.

**\$10, \$12.50, \$15, \$18  
and up to \$25**

A generous assortment to select from.

### FOR AN OVERCOAT

Is the day when the cold weather is just around the corner. You had better be coming and making your selection of our many different styles and cuts for the cold weather.

#### The Belt Coat

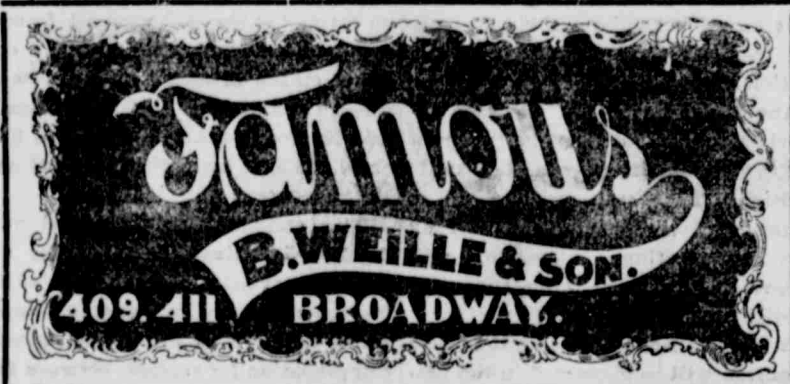
This coat will be a great coat this winter for the smart dressers—comes almost to the top of your shoes; made usually of heavy plaided cheviots; a belt slightly gathers the back.

#### The Top Coat

Or Medium Length Coat is equally as dressy. We have them all and want you to see them.

**\$7.50, \$10, \$12.50, \$15  
and up to \$25**

Throw away that old coat and get a new one while our stock is large.



### Men's Neckwear And Gloves

What's new, swell, swaggy and smart is just what you find in our new line of neckwear. Have you seen that elegant display of the new 50c English Square or Ascott, to be tied in a puff? The swellest collection of silks ever sold

**For 50c.**

#### Our Glove Department.

We don't know where you could find a more complete line of Gloves than we carry. We have gloves made by the best makers—Founds, Adlers and Dents. The best known driving gloves, dress gloves, street gloves, woollen gloves, mittens for business, fleeced, lamb or silk lined,

**From 25c to \$5.00**



### Hats

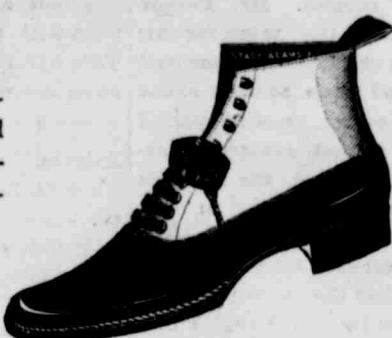
The largest selection of men's, boys' and children's hats ever shown by anyone in this city is at our store.

Youngs, Hawes, Stetsons, Freemans, Dunlaps.

### Shoes

Of every description can be found in our Shoe Department, on the second floor.

Special Agents  
**NETTLETONS  
STACY ADAMS**



### EVENING

#### .....DRESS

For the most formal functions the swallow tail is absolutely necessary. For less formal occasions the Tuxedo takes its place. We are able to supply you in all the necessary requirements of evening occasions.

Evening Dress Suits of the finest Unfinished Worsteds.

Tuxedo coats alone or coat and vests. Full dress white vests, single and double breasted.

Full dress white shirts, cuffs attached, all sleeve lengths

Pearl and white kid gloves.

Round bows, white strings.

Dress shirt protectors.

Everything in gent's toggery to make the full dress complete.

### Underwear and Nightshirts

Why not snuggle up in a good old warm nightshirt these cool nights? We have them in the very finest flannels to the cheapest.

We have underwear in medium weights in wool and cotton, suitable for the present weather and heavy weight in silk, wool and cotton for the colder weather. The line is complete.

### Men's, Boys', Ladies' Sweaters

Now is the time for Sweaters. The boys want them to play ball, the men for comfort and the ladies for something swell, new and nobby in their dress. We have the largest line of men's, boys', ladies' and girl's sweaters to be seen in the city.

You will be pleased if you buy a sweater from Weille. We handle the best.

### DR. BRIGGS LOCATED

Former Paducah Minister Will No Longer Preach.

Rev. W. F. Hamner Is No Longer a Minister—Will Practice Law in Memphis.

#### OTHER CONFERENCE NOTES

The Memphis conference in session at Fulton is drawing large crowds. It has been reported that Rev. G. W. Briggs would be tried for cutting a man during an altercation in Paducah some time ago, but he will probably not be.

Today's Memphis Commercial-Appal says:

The name of the Rev. G. W. Briggs was called as a transfer from the Baltimore conference and his desire to be "located" announced and his request was granted. Dr. Briggs formerly served the Broadway church in Paducah and is one of the most brilliant and effective pulpit orators in Southern Methodism. Just what he will do, now that he is located, is not known. He has for some months past been on the lecture platform and is one of the popular men in that field. Dr. Briggs is not in Fulton. The name of Rev. Mr. Nelson was announced as a transfer from Virginia.

The name of Rev. W. F. Hamner was called. Dr. Blackard of Jackson, his presiding elder, arose and made a short statement of the case and read a paper from Mr. Hamner, in which he made a full confession of his defection in morals and prayed for the mercy of his brethren. Dr. Blackard

also made a motion that the conference accept the credentials of Dr. Hamner, who had offered to surrender the same. After a few speeches by several men the bishop made a few remarks and led the conference in prayer. The deep sympathy of his brethren was manifest all over the conference room, while the bishop prayed many being moved to tears and even sobbing aloud. The motion was put and carried without opposition. The effect of this action is to unfrock Dr. Hamner and he is no longer a minister in the Methodist church. The motion, however, provided for retaining him in the membership of the church, as he confessed his sins and promised amendment. He is not present, but many people will rejoice to know that their erring friend is not out from membership in the church. Mr. Hamner, who now lives in Collierville, will practice law in the city of Memphis.

There are present at the conference 175 ministers and 40 lay delegates. It is one of the largest conferences, as to numbers present, within the history of the body. The following were placed on supernumerary list: J. R. Bell, A. S. Taylor, R. R. Risenhauer.

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### THE MARKETS.

WHEAT	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
Dec. ....	76 1/2	76	76 1/2
May. ....	77 1/2	77	77 1/2
CORN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
Dec. ....	42 1/2	42	42 1/2
May. ....	44 1/2	44	44 1/2
OATS	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
Dec. ....	33 1/2	33	33 1/2
May. ....	35	34 1/2	35
COTTON	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
Nov. ....	11 20	11 00	11 20
Dec. ....	11 32	11 20	11 20
Jan. ....	11 35	11 12	11 25
Feb. ....	11 43	11 17	11 35
Mar. ....	11 45	11 15	11 37
May. ....	11 45	11 15	11 37
July. ....	11 49	11 15	11 38
STOCKS	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
L. C. ....	128 1/2	127	128 1/2
L. & N. ....	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
M. & E. ....	88 1/2	87 1/2	88 1/2
U. S. ....	101 1/2	101	101 1/2
U. S. F. ....	101 1/2	101	101 1/2

### REPUBLIC A SUCCESS

Every Encouragement for the New Republic.

American Legation at Panama Reported Surrounded—Panama Owes Us Much.

#### LATEST FROM SAN DOMINGO

#### QUIET AT COLON.

Colon, Nov. 13.—Complete success already crowns the secession movement, and affairs continue to be as orderly as they have been since the change of government. All government functions have thus far been carried on with success and the unanimous feeling throughout Panama in favor of the new government is far beyond what its promoters anticipated when they declared the independence of the isthmus on November 3. The municipal and provincial laws and regulations which existed under the government of Colombia have been continued without any practical change. With three or four exceptions all the civil employees of Colon and its neighborhood have taken oath of allegiance to the new republic and have been continued in office. Those who refused to take the oath were sent to Savanilla. Porfirio Melendeez, the new civil and military governor of Colon, today expressed his full realization of what Panama owes the United States, calling that country "the new republic's powerful and generous godmother."

#### SHIP FROM SAN DOMINGO.

New York, Nov. 13.—The Clyde line steamer Cherokee arrived from

Santo Domingo. Intelligence of the insurrection, reports an exciting experience with the Dominican man of war, by which the Cherokee was stopped several times, on one occasion shots being fired across her bows, and on another the ship eluding the war vessel under cover of darkness.

The Cherokee on her outward voyage was met at Porto Plata on October 27 by the Dominican man of war, which fired several shots across her bows and stopped her. After some parley the Cherokee was allowed to go into Porto Plata, and her cargo and mail and reload cargo. Off Macoris on November 3 the Cherokee was stopped by the same vessel and again permitted to proceed. At Semana, November 5, the war vessel ordered the Cherokee away. The Cherokee waited until after dark when the man of war sailed out of port with lights, and then went in and landed her cargo and mail. She succeeded in making schedule time at all ports except Monte Cristi.

Macoris was evacuated by the government forces November 3, the day of sailing, and all the ports except San Domingo City, were in the hands of the insurgents when she finally sailed.

#### SOME EXCITEMENT.

Panama, via Galveston, Tex., Nov. 13.—It is reported here that President Maroquin is trying to leave the capital.

There is great excitement and the American legation, which is surrounded and protected by Colombian troops. Sixty Colombian prisoners left this morning for Cartagena. At Colon they will be joined by other prisoners. There now remain at Colon only Generals Juan B. Tovar and Feo Castro. They are held as hostages.

Panama and Colon are quiet, but extensive preparations are being made for the reception of the dignitaries on the Mayflower, especially Rear Admi-

ral Walker and Consul-General Gudgeon.

Gold exchange is going down here, but paper currency is going up in Colombia.

#### A BIG MAN DEAD.

SAID TO HAVE BEEN LARGER THAN JOE GRIMES.

Newport, Ark., Nov. 13.—Lee Trickey, better known under his widely advertised show name of Jolly Lee, died of inflammatory rheumatism, supposed to have affected his heart. Trickey was advertised as weighing 619 pounds. He was the biggest man in the world surpassing Joe Grimes, who died in Cincinnati three weeks ago. Trickey was not over five feet ten inches in height and his limbs below the knees were very small, so that he could hardly stand alone. When getting out of the car Monday he suffered a sprained ankle. The deceased was 32 years old and had been with the Cosmopolitan Carnival company. He was married but leaves no family. His home was in Hammond, Wis.

#### TENNESSEAN KILLED.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Nov. 13.—James McCoy, a contractor of Sadler, Tenn., was killed by L. and N. freight train near Pembroke. He was asleep when struck, and his body was hurled forty feet. McCoy was 49 years old and a man of family.

#### TROUBLE YET.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 13.—Ten street cars this morning went out guarded by police. The streets are crowded with idle men and the police were jeered and hooted but no trouble so far has occurred.

#### WHOLE TOWN WIPED OUT.

Aurora, Mo., Nov. 13.—Jenkins City, a town of 400 inhabitants, was practically destroyed by fire yesterday.

### THE NEW MINISTER

President Roosevelt Receives Panama's Representative.

Dr. Hunter Leads But Both Are Claiming Victory—National Committee Meets.

#### OTHER NEWS BY WIRE

#### THE NEW ENVOY.

Washington, D. C. Nov. 13.—M. Philippe Bunau Varilla was received by President Roosevelt at 9:30 o'clock this morning as minister plenipotentiary and envoy extraordinary of the Republic of Panama.

#### THE EDWARDS CONTEST.

Louisville, Nov. 13.—Latest returns from the Eleventh district show that Hunter leads Edwards by 350. Hunter is however claiming election by 1,000 and Edwards by 200 to 300.

#### REPUBLICAN MEETING.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 13.—Senator Hanna, chairman of the Republican national committee, today mailed to each member of the committee a letter calling them to meet at the Arlington hotel, Washington, December 11. The object is unknown.

#### DEATH AT HOPKINSVILLE.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Nov. 13.—W. W. Lacey, a seventh street saloon keeper, died suddenly last night of heart trouble. He was 57 years old and had been in business here for fifteen years. He leaves a family.

Roadmaster F. L. Thompson, of the Louisville division of the I. O., is in the city today on business.